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Dear Sir:

The above-identified patent application was filed on September 12, 2003. However, no Office Action has yet been received. Accordingly, Applicants request to be advised of the status of the application, including an indication of when the patent application is expected to be examined.

Please send the undersigned a Status Report on this application.

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